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Applicant(s): Ryuji MORIYAMA et al.							
nvention: THERMOSTAT MOUNTING STRUCTURE							
MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.							
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## **AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks/Arguments